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The Circulation of the Bulletin.

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CIRCULATION

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STILL IN THE ARMY. business. He compares it to getting back into the ranks—he is still in the

for his African tour and a few months' active out of door life as a faunalnaturalist, during which time he hopes to procure specimens which will enson of the husy little hee is—not to get stung.—Bristol Press. an institute, will be a joy to him. Professor Starr of Chicago feels alarmed lest the inexperience of Boosevelt in African travel and unilliarity with the perils of the counresolved to accomplish them.
While he cannot entirely free him-

self from the prestige gained in the ce of president, he sees abroad as house is said to be an ill-ventileted 1307 Grace street, Chicago. an unassuming citizen and declines to accept any not be accorded any distinguished Am-

Theodore Roosevelt is an object leseon. He is free from vanity and is not puffed up by his past honors. He has iigh ideals and abundant common ense, and is destined to show the world what a great American is!

TAFT PAYS DEFERENCE TO AGE ident Taft believes in "youn- men for war and old men for counsel." The only man in the president's cabinet who is under fifty is Frank Hitchcock, who at forty-two has demonstrated great ability and mature judg-

The secretary of agriculture is the estor, but bears his seventy-four ears with an ease that must make an object of envy to unofficial Mr. MacVeagh graduated from Yale when President Taft was five years old. Mr. Nagel is sixty. Taft is younger than the majority of his advisers, being in his fiftynd year. He is two years the junof his vice president. The Boston Transcript, commenting

"Buch differences in age between presidents and their cabinet leaders nd vice presidents have been not uncommon. Often cabinets have been requited from older, if not better soldiers, and the vice presidency has been the solatiem for an ambition so long continued as to be almost venerable. The administration ought to be learned, for the president, vice president. dent and every member of the cabinet are college graduates, one, Mr. Nagel, holding a foreign degree as well. Mr. Nagel has, moreover, in his time filled a professional chair,"

OPTIONAL EXECUTIONS.

The element in Massachusetts opposed to capital punishment have made an able and persistent fight for its abolishment and at last have been favored with a favorable report by the judiciary committee, who stand 11 to 5 in favor of the bill permitting a jury in capital cases to add to their verdict "without capital punishment."

This is regarded as a victory by those who favor executions for capital crimes and a battle royal is likely over this issue. The opponents to that "It gives to them a judicial au-thority which very few juries however good their intentions, are qualined to exercise wisely; and even should they be inclined to exercise their right to withhold that merciful clause in the case of a particularly hemous crime, they would be likely to shrink from a responsibility made all the greater by the power of choice given them."

An optional method has attained in this state through the second degree law which makes the punishment imprisonment for life. The evidence of deliberate, premeditated murder makes no difference in the finding of the jury. As a rule, Connecticut juries are opposed to hanging and they evade are opposed to hanging and they evade in an of courage, on an an of courage, noted authorities as Mrs. Rorer and it would be better to have the law Brownsville case will defeat him. Marion Harland both recommend Cotsit the case than to have the verdict Perhaps the Southerners, as well as tolene as "much more healthful missit it, as is often the case here, the Japs, are better than he thinks lard."

"HELL-WHERE IS IT?"

be that hell is where heaven is not, if the intrusive purgatory did not

came to Norwich and had a ffolic with the boys, in an address some time after he arrived home, told his constituents that hell was within three miles, of Norwich, but he never recouled the personal experience upon which he based his conclusion. Since science has told us so much about the earth's interior and the darkness and frigidity of space the idea that hell is beneath our feet and heaven up amid the stars has faded

within you," could have located hell with equal straightforwardness by saying the same of hell. If it is rightcousness which produces heavenly conditions it is certainly unrighteous ness which produces the opposite conditions, and it may not be amiss to emark that hell may be self-made or ome-made.

ocation may be made exact.

The way of wickedness is the way to

ence as to the whereabouts of it.

AND FINANCIAL.

ltural wizard, has been incorporated capitalised for some millions of dollars and now becomes a miracle worker in finance. One of the season's pecialties that is being promoted—to he ultimate sorrow of the public-is shrub called "The Wonder Berry. Dependable authorities say unquali-fieldy that the real wonder is that anybody should buy the thing, as it comes pretty near being worthless. That is true of most of the Burbank reations. Their great merit is all in Mr. Burbank has the advertising. some good work, but he is The fact that Theodore Roosevelt is probably the most over-rated man in the liveliest ex-president the country today. We have tried over saw is not to be denied. Out of personally about all of his "wonders" office is not with him being out of that can be grown outside of tropical regions, and with one or two excepns have found them useless. Expert army with the workers and loves the horticulturists the country over give work which falls to active citizen- the same verdict. The "Wonder Berry" belongs in the class with "Miracle Just now he is busy getting ready Wheat," the "Rocky Mountain Cherry" and similar creations. Those who do not buy these things are the happiest.

Well said, brother, well said. We have tried some of the Burbank prod-ucts and because we expected too were disappointed. There are hundreds of expert horticultural expertry he proposes to visit may result in his loss, but it is not likely that he without the best of advisers and complishing things. Since Burbank the most experienced hunters of the has been commercialized anything day. There is nothing foolhardy about his name on it goes, and if it his undertaking. It is a great exploit, in keeping with the ambition of such a hardened and atrenuous citizen. He and he has occomplished much, but not only has his plans well laid out those who do not get stung by his boomers are the ones who are blind boomers are the ones who are blind and deaf to their pretences.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The souvenir hunters are the shame of every country, and they are the

Northern Canada has had eleven feet of snow the past winter and the mowstorms are not all counted yet.

The reason some magazine adver-

of in the papers, but she is just as difficult to identify as the average

The report is that Atlanta, Ga., stood for prohibition last year just long enough to have its photograph

all the other assemblies of New England by sending formal congratula-

a little change to make it more common and more emphatic.

who passes out good advice to his neighbors is oftener thought of as a ulsance than a good man.

The papers out of Connecticut are w saying that the resignation of would appear to be in order.

barely saved. Now he knows that is more than an ass can stand,

Since it is authoritatively announce ed that corsets are to be longer than. ever this year, the inquiry "How can

money saved from absence from amusements during Lent is generally swamped in the new Easter hats.

Now that another Indiana county has gone dry, inquiry is being made how many countles there are. More than there are in all New England without doubt.

than he over the event. He had had a bully good time, and has a corking good time before him.

brave men are not all dead.

It worries a congressman in this country as much to think that a secret zervice man may be looking into his methods as it does a member of the Russian douma to go to prisen.

Congressman Hobson bas a great Brownsville case will defeat him. THE BULLETIN'S DAILY STORY

GOOD TO HIM.

"Are you expecting company to-night?" asked the married man, sip-ping his coffee critically, as was his "Why, no," replied the man's wife.

bect anybody tonight then? What have you got your hair all fixed up for?

"For you my dear," answered the man's wife, brightly. "I wanted you to admire me. Do you?"

"Immensely," said the man; "but of all fool styles of hair-dressing I think that's the worst. It always reminds the of one of these Japanese straw porch pads. You're wearing your rings too. I'll bet you are expecting somebody, and I want to tell you that if it's the Grugers and you are planning to rope me in to play bridge you are going to be fooled. I'm going to have an engagement downtowa, What is this?"

"What do you think it is?" asked the man's wife. "I think you'ge mean. If you want to know, I heard a paper at the club this afternoon on The Neglect of Husbands' and I made up my mind I'd try to be nicer to you than I have been. Now if you have a hard day."

"I didn't mean to laugh," said the man's wife. "I didn't mean to laugh," said the man. "I was just making up my mind that I'd have to give in about that hat I'd have to give in about that hat I'd have to give in about that hat a hard day."

"No-no," said the man, "Nou is going to hak you to go out anywhere. Fve get a nice fire in the grate and you can just sit and smoke and read comfortably all eventing."

"Whit is it you want?"

"Now you inst stop," commanded the club this afternoon on The Neglect of Husbands' and I made up my mind I'd try to be nicer to you than I have been. Now if you have a figure the club this afternoon on The Neglect of Husbands' and I made up my mind I'd try to be nicer to you that I'd have to give in about that hat I'd have to give in about that hat. Excuse me, darling."

"Well," said the man's wife. "I wasn't thinking about that all. But Jim, dear, if you think you could atford that hat.—".—Chicago News.

DEAD MAN WAS OF ROVING DISPOSITION Later Developments in Cree of Supposed Murdered Inauguration Visi-

tor Walter F. Schultz.

will first try to find where he stopped while in Washington. A coroner's jury at Alexandria began its investigation this afternoon. A letter found in the dead man's clothes written by his sister, Mrs. Ellen Dorothy Gillette of Sioux City, Ia., indicated that Schultz was of a roving disposition, and said among other things:

"Have you any idea where you will settle, or will you return to Chicago?" Chicago, March 8.—W. W. Barker, in whose place of business Walter F. Schultz whose dead body was found rear Alexandria, Va., was employed for ten years, said today that Schultz was subject to periodical fits of insanity. He declared that the young man had been an inmate of an asylum for the insane. Three years aso, former office associates of Schultz said he was discovered in Lincoln park distributing money. He had given a way several hundred dollars when interrupted and was about to distribute more. Mr. Barker suggested that the artist mgy have committed suicide while montally irresponsible.

Los Angeles, Cal. March 8.—The

CHARGES OF GRAFT -VIGOROUSLY DENOUNCED

Turkish Consul General at New York Courts Full Investigation,

New York, March 8—Munji Bey, Turkish consul general at New York, today denounced the charges of "graft" made against him in the petition for his removal filed by several thousand Ottoman subjects with the Turkish amiassador at Washington as fabrications and said he courted a full investigation of his office here by the Turkish authorities at the capital. "The petition is inspired by a few enemies of mine five or six, whose names I know, and there is not a word of truth in it," said Munji Bey, "I shall give the names of my enemies to the ambassador or his representative when I hear from him and request that he take some action against them. If the ambassador does not see fit to take action, I shall put the whole matter in the hands of our lodal authorities in Constantinopie.

"We do not overcharge our subjects for their passports, as alleged in the petition, and there is no way for any one to graft by taking advantage of the ignorant Syrians, Greeks or Armenians in this office."

The consul general said it was the first time in his twelve years service in office that any charges had been directed against him.

"I am ready for a full investigation of my office in regard to this matter and shall insist that it be made," he said.

THE CANKER WORM

AND ELM TREE BEETLE. Serious Damage Expected from These Pests This Year.

New Haven, Conn. March 8.—State Entomologist W. E. Britton in his annual report suggests remedial measures for the suppression of the canker worm, which has been so destructive to the trees in the state in the past, and which are liable to be as trouble-come this season. For the destruction of the elm tree beetle, which is expected to do serious damage this year, he suggests that all trees which lost their leaves last summer should be sprayed with lead arsenic next summer, as two or three successive defoliations may kill a tree.

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oblations may kill a tree.

Observations showed that at the state rife range at East Haven and at Beaver Swamp, West Haven, malarial mosquitoes were found to breed abundantly. Tests were made of gases for fumigating nursery stock to destroy San Jose scale and other temedies for destroying insects destructive of plants. plants,

The fact that the president of the New England baseball league has had 32 applications for the position of umpire is taken as evidence that the brave men are not all dead.

The "Digestible" Shortening.

Lard is the most commonly used cooking fat, yet not 10 per cent of the food cooked with lard digests naturally and easily the other 90 per cent, instead of nourishing the body, merely clogs the digestive organs.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. The Shannon Corner Improvement.

Mr. Editor: Will you kindly aflow me a little space in this column to discuss the proposed Shannon corner improvement which I regard as one of the most important matters ever brought to the attention of our citizens. Now is the time to consider, discuss and act. Tomorrow may be too late. First, let every voter examine carefully the drawings in the window of Cranston Brothers book store and give the matter careful thought and attention. Then, if necessary, let the city condemn the land needed and pay Mr. Shannon the market price for same. It cught not to se a little space in this column to by the second of the married man, sipping his coffee critically, as was his wont.

The man's wife smiled. "At last!" she said. "I was beginning to think you weren't going to notice it. Do you like it?"

"It's all right, I suppose," admitted the married man, grudgingly. "What idli cost? I thought you said you were going to conomine a little."

The man's wife laughed. "I knew you wouldn't recognize it." she said. "My dear, that dress is tive years old. I was rummaging about a week ago, and I ran across it, and I thought that with a little alteration in the sleeves I could make it do very nicely for evenings when we were alone. It cost me two spools of slik thread and the buttons on the front."

"I seems to me lit's good neough to wear on any occasion. You don't expect anybody tonight, then? What lave, you got your hair sil fixed up for?"

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"You needn't be afraid," said his wife. "I suppose I've been mean's wife. "I suppose I've been mean's wife." I wanted you wanted you haven't any engagement down-town, really ..."

"You needn't be afraid," said his wife. "I suppose I've been mean's wife. "I wanted you."

"You needn't be afraid," said his

around to see it, and would then go home and tell their neighbors about it. There is only one in the whole state of Connectical, it would furnish an ideal waiting place for Boston store customers about to take the car. I hope our public spirited citizens will give this matter the attention which it really deserves.

PROGRESSIVE BUSINESS MAN.

Norwich, March 7, 1969.

Sentenced to Wethersfield.

Hartford, Conn. March 8.—The jury in the case of John W. Rivers, charged with the contamination of young girls, this afternoon brought in a verdict of guilty after being out twenty-five minutes. Rivers was immediately sentenced to from five to ten years in state's nurson.

Bridgeport.—Work of raising the John H. Starin, preparatory to floating the boat again, is progressing. It is reported that the boat will be floated this week and brought into this harbor for temporary repairs, before being taken to New York.

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A seemingis straight answer would be that hell is where heaven is not

A Fairfield county politician, who

from many minds.
The One who said: "Heaven is

When it comes to diabolical conditions we can all agree very well upon When it comes to recognize Hades as a place we have no particular disagreement with those who beare trying to give it a geographical ocation do not appear to succeed in furnishing a map with the latitude and

hell, and it doesn't make much differ-WONDERS - HORTICULTURAL

Lather Burbank, the alleged horti-

only ones who do not know it.

The evidence is complete that Pres- most interesting matter in the period-The average woman is being talked

The New Hampshire legislature led in

he Taft expletive "Durn" needs only Happy thought for today: The man

Chief Moore of the weather bureau A Massachusetta man who drank on cocktails in fifteen minutes was

they be?" appears to be in order. Some brute of a man says that the

Those who were gladdest when toosevelt went out were no gladder

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Splandid Shape-Practicing Landing Washington, March 8.—The Washington police were called upon today to investigate the mysterious death of Waiter F. Schultz, a Chicago ariet, whose deal hody was found in a leid near Alexandria, Va. The police will first try to find where he stopped while in Washington. A coroner's junty at Alexandria began its investigation of Dr. Alexandria Graham Bell.

After four short Girbts, during which after four short Girbts, during which

Mr. Barker suggested that the may have committed suicide montally irresponsible.

Angeles, Cal., March S.—The Fargo express money orders, ion the hody of Walter F. liz, supposedly murdered near ington. D. C., during inaugural were issued to him by the local of that company December 9. Four orders of \$100 each were dupon Schultz's order payable maelf. He gave his address as Grace street, Chicago. sle L. Smith caught on fire and sank February 26 in latitude 43 north, longi-

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